# TREMONT HARBOR COMMITTEE TREMONT COMMUNITY BUILDING MAY 31, 2006 5:00PM

### 1. CALL TO ORDER

The May 31, 2006 Tremont Harbor Committee was called to order by Chairman David Schlaefer at 5:04pm.

### 2. ROLL CALL

Chairman David Schlaefer, Harbor Committee members Diane Miller, Mel Atherton, Jon Crossman, Harbor Master Stewart Murphy and Recording Secretary McKenzie Clough. Absent: Mike Ryan, Art Paine and Spencer Ervin.

### 3. APPROVE MINUTES

**MOTION** by Harbor Committee Member Mel Atherton to approve the minutes of the April 26, 2006 Harbor Committee meeting, seconded by Harbor Committee Member Jon Crossman. All in favor by show of hands 4-0.

## 4. HARBOR MASTER REPORT

Harbor Master Murphy has been cleaning up parking problems at the wharf. He also put up a new sign for daytime parking. He has done some repair work on the ladders and the chains on the finger floats. Harbor Master helped to rescue two boats over Memorial weekend.

Harbor Master Murphy would like to look into getting an additional camera at the wharf. Town Clerk McKenzie Clough called to get prices on additional cameras; the prices were not available in time for the meeting. Harbor Master Murphy brought it to the board's attention issues with the dumpsters at the wharf. One dumpster has been filled with construction debris; the debris was brought to the wharf by boat. Town Clerk McKenzie Clough will contact Gott's and get prices for a 4 yard dumpster rather than having the two 2 yard Dumpster. Harbor Committee members would like to have the dumpsters removed from the wharf in late November early December each year.

Harbor Committee members discussed renewing impact fee contracts with Poseidon Charters and Southwest Boat. After discussion the Harbor Committee decided to recommend to the Board of Selectmen to charge Poseidon Charters a \$6,500.00 impact fee and Southwest Harbor Boat \$2,500.00. Town Manager Billings will take the recommendations of the Harbor Committee to Board of Selectmen.

The Harbor Committee would like to get some information on grants from Homeland Security. Northeast Harbor and Southwest Harbor both received funds from Homeland Security.

Harbor Committee members discussed looking into prices for adding floats and eventually a dock in Seal Cove. Right now none of the Harbor Committee feels there is a need to regulate parking in Seal Cove.

Harbor Committee Member Jon Crossman asked members if there could be a limit set on wharf permits. He was concerned with the parking issues as well as dock space in Bernard. Harbor Committee member Jon Crossman was also concerned with allowing specific residents to tie there boats at the dock for the season. It was explained that one resident has been given permission to tie his boat at the wharf due to an illness.

Harbor Master Murphy has requested a GPS system.

The Tremont Harbor Committee meeting adjourned at 6:17pm.

Respectfully Submitted McKenzie Clough